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# Response After Final and Request for Reconsideration

Dear Sir:

Please consider the following remarks requesting reconsideration of the grounds for rejection:

### Remarks

The present response responds to the final Official Action mailed April 9, 2003. That action rejected claims 1-14 of the present application under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Goodwin III, et al. United States Patent No. 6,430,704 ("Goodwin '704"). Claims 1-14 were also rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) based on Goodwin III, et al. United